This is the central day, The second of July: Nine score and two have roll'd away Into eternity: Once more that number, and the year Will close, no more to re-appear.

This is the central day, The middle of the year; Then let me caily watch and pray, For death will soon be here: Each moment as it quickly flies, Proclaims to us that some one dies!

This is the central day, Quickly the time speeds on; No time to idly sleep away, Our lives will soon be gone: Half of the year's already past, We know not who shall see the last.

May I, O Lord, improve The time which Theu dost give, That I at last with Thee above, Eternally may live. O may the remnant of my days Be all devoted to Thy praise. July 2.

An Incident of the War.

One of the war correspondents of the Lon- ed, and consequently dangerous state of don press describes the following scene: - the skin will be removed. his father's side. The difficulty was, how- has not been seen around that house since. ever, overcome by a great big Pomeranian content. So did the Prussian soldier carry the Frenchman's child. When I first saw the group, the wife was clasped in her husband's embrace, the little boy clung to his father's hand, whilst the Prussian solalong by their sides. Then the Frenchwoman told her husband how, when she had been ill and in want of food, the Prussian soldiers had shared their rations with her, had fetched wood and water, had lit the fire, and helped her in their own rough, kindly way; until at last those two men, who belonged to countries now arrayed against each other in bitterest hate-who perhaps a few days since fought the one against the other-embraced like brothers; whilst I, like a great big fool, stood by and cried like a baby. But I was not alone in my folly, if folly it be; several Prussian officers and soldiers followed my example-for we all had wives and children in far-off homes."

WE know of no more pleasing present for a young lady than a volume of 'Peters'
Musical Monthly, which gives an astonishingly large and fine collection of new music. The July number is excellent.

The Diocesan Synod of Montreal has tices of the Church of Rome. The July number is excellent.

suddenly sprung into a leading position in the Temperance reform. This suggests the happiest auguries for that cause, and also for the Church. When a body, till now held to be the most conservative of all, steps forward to lead the people in a movement for which the people themselves have long felt the dire need, there is little cause to fear the confounding of temperance to carry missionaries to New Guinea. with infidelity, as is anhappily the case where the church has said to the drunkard -"Go thy way and take the pledge: we have need of none.

with singleness of purpose; whose words and actions are sincere, not one who studies effect in all she says and does, but one who acts and speaks from her heart, and whose genuineness of heart expresses itself in her of parricide, as looked on in heathen looks, and this so kind and good a heart as to make those words, actions and looks lovely. I love a woman who lives for a that the Persians have no penalty purpose; one who does not drift through for parricade, believing it to be imlife, but one who sees the way of her duty clearly, and, with warm energies and steadfastness of aim, steers her course ocward. You enter the house of the woman I love. the whole family of a parricide were The courtesy with which she receives you exterminated, and his very dwelling is not mere conventionality; but is seasoned razed to the ground. with genuine human kindness. Her conversation is not forced, --not empty; warmth of heart, practical education, and revelling in the details ef a touchdarkened path-way, and points to the beacon light ahead.

the flesh. Within the past fourteen months he has induced nineteen thousand drinklong to the lowest classes in the community. and women from drunkenness by moral sussion goes on at a marvellous rate. His he would keep the remainder of the work commenced in behalf of the men money himself. The grief stricken alone; but he has now begun to save many parent fairly broke down under this women who, in a great city, also fall into the vice of intemperance. He recently brought together, in a place known as Newburying his head in his hands he burying his head in his hands he some's Circus, about 1,500 women and sobbed convulsively, "Her mind is girls who gained their living by hawking gone! Her mind is gone!" It is wares through the streets. Never before said that there will be a consultation brought together in the city, and for two of the leading medical experts in the Machinery required by Farmers. The hours they were kept perfectly happy by United States to examine this peculiar best can be procured at excellent music and a fund of appropriate amusement. After that he spoke to them upon temperance, while they listened to him with patience, and seemed to be much him with patience, and seemed to be much

MISCELLANEOUS.

WHAT maintains one vice would bring up two children. What is given to the poor is laid out of the reach of fortune.

It is a mistake to discortinue your advertising in dull times. WHAT reason and endeavour cannot bring out, time often will.

THE Government tugs at Collingwood are used for Sunday excursions. Charles Gavan Duffy, one of the Irish rebels of 1848, has been knighted by Queen

Victoria. THE habit of late attendance at Churchis one which offends good manners and grieves the Holy Spirit. A MAN who strives earnestly and perse-

veringly to convince others, at least convinces us that he is convinced himself "According to Milton, Eve kept silent in Eden to hear her husband talk," said a gentleman to a lady friend, and then added, in a melancholly tone, "Alas! there has been no Eve since." "Because there have been no husbands worth listening to," was

the quick retort. A MAN was brought before a Magistrate in the States the other day, and fined \$6.50 for being drunk. He smiled blandly, and drawing out a dollar bill said : "All right Mr. Magistrate, I suppose you remember when I sold out my saloon in Perkin I had \$5.50 on the slate against you. With this dollar that will exactly pay my fine. You must excuse me Squire, for this little spree of mine; but I didn't see any other way of

collecting my bill against you than this." THE greates' cause of sunstroke is the The dark horrors of war are relieved by immoderate use of alcoholicliquors. This occasional gleams of humanity, which make one feel all the more saddened by the re- fact has been shown by statistics, for by cords of strife between men who ought to far the greater number of sufferers have be as brothers. During the investment of been accustomed to indulging too freely Metz, it was common for the German sen- in intoxicating liquors. Cleanliness is tries at the outposts to leave a portion of another matter to be atttended to. Durtheir rations for the famished sentries of ing the warm season occasional bathing the besieged army. A day's rations were should be resorted to. The pores of the also willingly given up on the capitulation. skin are thus cleansed, and that dry, parch-

"This afternoon I witnessed a very touch- Dropping A For .- A conceited snob, ing scene. A French soldier of the 33rd who was so fond of fine clothing that he Line Regiment, belonging to the Corps of revelled in them by day and dreamed of General Frossard, had been made prisoner them by night, one evening visited a lady, at the outposts. He is a native of Jony- and as he removed his overcoat, etc., in any Arches, where his wife and children the hall, preparatory to entering the parnowlive. En passant on his way to Corny, lor, the lady overheard him uttering the where the head-quarters of the Prince are following words. Taking his overcoat and now situated, he asked permission to be all hanging it up, he said: "Hang there, you lowed to see his wife and children. Need I hanging it up, he said: "Hang there, you lifty-dollar overcoat!" Pulling off his say that the request was immediately grant-ed? The poor woman, half delirious with there, you five-dollar gloves!" Placing his joy, asked to be allowed to accompany her hat on the rack: "Hang there, you ten-husband at least to Corny. This was also dollar hat!" Putting his cane in the coracceeded to; but then came the difficulty ner: "Stand here, you fifteen-dollar cane! about the bairns. The woman was weak Then entering the parlor, he was about to and could not carry her baby, and at home sit down, when the lady pulled the chair there was no one to mind it; as for the from under him, and as she left the room, little chap of five-he could toddle along by said: "Lie there you two-cent fool!" He

THE NAME OF PROTESTANT took its rise soldier, who volunteered to act as nurse. from the following circumstances:--At a This man had been quartered close to the diet of the princes of the empire, held in poor wo man's house; and the little ones knew him, for he had often played with them. When, therefore, bidding the poor wife to be of good cheer, he held out his big Worms had been received, it would be strong arms to the little infant, it came to lawful for no one to change his religion; him immediately, and, nestling its tiny that in those places where the new religion head upon his shoulders, seemed perfectly (that is the Lutheran) was exercised, it should be maintained till the meeting of a council, if the ancient (the popish) religion could not be restored without danger of disturbing the public peace; but that the mass should not be abolished, nor the dier with the baby in his arms stalked Catholics hindered from the free exercise of their religion, nor any one of them allowed to embrace Lutheranism; that the Selling Retail at Wholesale Prices Sacramentarians should be banished from the empire; that the Anabaptists should be punished with death; and that no preachers should explain the gospel in any other sense than was approved by the church. Six princes of the empire introduced their protest against this decree; namely: John, Elector of Saxony; George, Margrave of Brandenburg; Earnest and Francis, Dukes of Brunswick and Lunenburg; Phillip Landgrave of Hesse; Wolffgang, Prince of Anhalt. To these were joined the following free cities of Germany; namely: Strasburg, Norinburg, Ulm, Constance, Lindon, Memingen, Kenfen, Nordlingen, Halibrun, Reutingen, Isue, St. Gall, Messenburg, and Windsohinn; and from the protest the Lutherans first obtained the name of Protestants, which was afterwards given in common to all who separated themselves

> MEN are sometimes said to be "in advance of their age," women never. MISS BAXTER, a pious lady of Dundee, has given 2,000 guineas as a beginning towards equipping a vessel

DESPATCHES have been received by the British Government from Sir Samuel Baker, who reports that a I Love a woman with aheart; one whose large slice of Africa has been annexheart is large enough to fill the whole ed to Egypt, and that a free road sphere of her duties. I love a woman has been opened to Zanzibar. The mission of Sir Samuel Baker has

been eminently successful. THE hideous enormity of the crime | teavy nations, may be judged by the fact possible that any one could commit such a crime. Among the Chinese

THE United States newspapers are

a refined mind, render her conversation ingly sad story of the mental depointed and pleasing. There is something rangement of a young lady, beautias her manners,—and this is because her ful, accomplished, and an only daughhousehold arrangements are based upon a ter. The first symptom which atrefined taste, and a desire to promote the tracted attention and excited alarm comfort of others. Love of empty show was that she was found by her moenters not into her composition, and there-fore you see no tokens of it. In the nour of trouble and perplexity, the woman I darning stockings. Soonafterwards love shines forth as man's better angel .- she came into the kitchen and assist-Unselfish of heart and pure of purpose, she sheds a golden radiance around his pastry and the like. Such striking pastry, and the like. Such striking symptoms of mental disorder natur- Sawing FATHER MATTHEW'S mantle has evident- ally increased the already awakened ly fallen upon the shoulders of Father Nu- fears in the maternal bosom. Patergent, of Liverpool, who is doing about as familias was consulted, and a skilled much for temperance as any man now in physician was sent for, who watched her through a key hole, and found ing persons to become tectotallers, and her sewing buttons on her father's seventy-five per cent. of that number have shirts, and mending the garments of kept their pledges inviolate, notwithstand-ing the fact that the majority of them be-ed that during a medical practice of In February of last year he inaugurated a twenty-five years he had never seen temperance league in one of the Catholic such symptoms as these before. In churches of Liverpool, and so successful the hope of giving a new direction to her morbid thoughts, her father, branches in three or four other churches a few days are offered her \$200 to of the city. One branch alone comprises a few days ago, offered her \$200 to over three thousand persons, and the or- buy a new dress: she simply replied CUTTING BOXES, ganization and enthusiasm are so com- that she didn't need a new dress, and plete, under the inspiration of the Rev. that if she might keep \$25 to pay a

of its spreading.

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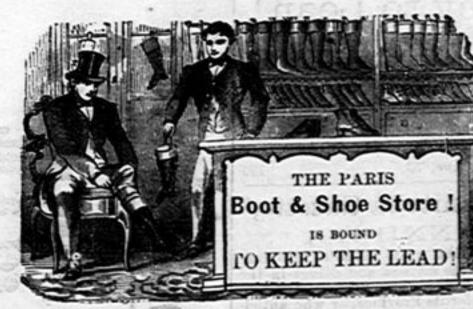
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